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Sir:

For the possible benefit of anyone subsequently evaluating the scope and/or validity of the above patent, it is respectfully requested that the following references, cited in European Search Report November 16, 2006, and considered by the Examiner on January 12, 2006 as indicated in the Non-Final Office Action mailed January 19, 2006 in the pending Application No. 10/674,525, be placed in the file wrapper:

1. Japanese Patent Publication 2001-184240 dated July 6, 2001, (previously submitted in IDS dated October 1, 2003 and considered by Examiner on January 12, 2006).
2. Japanese Patent Publication 2001-358753 dated December 12, 2001 (previously submitted in IDS dated October 1, 2003 and considered by Examiner on January 12, 2006).
3. PCT International Publication WO 02/052768 dated July 4, 2002.
4. European Patent Application EP 0 996 126 A1 dated September 30, 1999.

The undersigned has not reviewed the teachings of these references in detail and thus, makes no representations concerning their relevancy or materiality.

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